

**FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL TRADE**

## Basis for State Estimates

U.S.D.A.'s Economic Research Service (ERS) publishes estimates of U.S. Agricultural Export contributions by States on a fiscal year basis. These estimates by State for major commodity groups were based on the assumption that State contributions to exports are equal to each State's share of production or marketings. They should not be interpreted as an actual measurement of a state's export.

Farm marketing ratios from the Census of Agriculture or other sources were used to calculate State shares where production statistics by State were not available. State export estimates for wheat were calculated based on export inspections for major types, including hard red winter, spring, and durum. Census Bureau export data groups all wheat types into a single commodity. Wheat export inspections from different port areas yielded information on hard winter, hard spring, soft winter, and durum. Estimates of feeding and ending stocks for feed grains were used along with production by State.

The share-of-production method was used to compute export shares for cotton, cottonseed, soybeans and products, peanuts, and rice. For some commodities, production was not readily available.

**AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: OKLAHOMA AND THE U.S., 1997-1999**

Commodity	Oklahoma			United States		
	1997	1998	1999	1997	1998	1999
Million Dollars						
Wheat and Products	165.7	211.1	282.9	4,331.1	3,964.3	3,930.7
Feed Grains and Products	45.7	36.5	33.9	8,447.6	6,342.9	6,805.6
Soybeans and Products	28.8	33.2	14.6	9,253.6	9,020.3	6,530.3
Cotton and Linters	19.2	24.1	12.6	2,737.3	2,537.3	1,323.4
Peanuts and Products	14.3	9.6	11.3	274.2	239.4	222.0
Fruits and Preparations	-	0.1	1.9	3,418.2	3,217.9	3,282.0
Seeds	5.9	2.8	1.5	912.9	827.3	799.7
Tree Nuts	0.4	6.4	0.8	1,280.0	1,213.2	1,074.8
Cottonseed and Products	0.9	1.1	0.6	110.4	102.6	61.8
Vegetables and Preparations	-	-	-	4,081.0	4,167.9	4,245.2
Tobacco Unmanufactured	-	-	-	1,611.6	1,447.9	1,375.5
Rice	-	-	-	961.8	1,134.8	1,014.9
Sunflowerseed and Oil	-	-	-	260.4	338.5	330.4
Poultry and Products	56.1	50.9	42.7	2,882.9	2,720.6	2,056.1
Live Animals & Meat, Excl. Poultry	19.5	21.4	17.3	5,319.3	5,421.7	5,334.5
Feeds and Fodders	17.8	17.3	13.7	1,811.2	1,721.3	1,673.4
Dairy Products	1.6	1.6	2.2	868.7	925.1	897.5
Hides and Skins	1.7	1.1	0.7	1,693.2	1,358.3	1,108.5
Fats, Oils and Greases, Animal	0.6	0.6	0.4	542.9	655.2	561.1
Other	5.9	5.7	2.4	6,566.9	6,373.7	6,474.7
<b>ALL COMMODITIES</b>	<b>384.1</b>	<b>423.7</b>	<b>439.8</b>	<b>57,365.1</b>	<b>53,730.2</b>	<b>49,102.1</b>

Source: ERS Foreign Agricultural Trade of the United States - Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1999.